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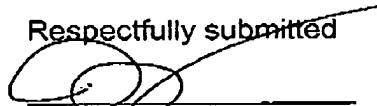
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## RESUBMISSION OF RESPONSE TO THE OFFICIAL ACTION OF JUNE 2, 2003

Examiner Small called on December 4, 2003 stating that the response to the Official Action of June 2, 2003 had not been received. Attached is a copy of the response to the Official Action of June 2, 2003, mailed on October 2, 2003 along with the Amendment Transmittal and postcard stamped by the U.S.P.T.O. acknowledging receipt on October 6, 2003.

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**RESPONSE TO THE OFFICIAL ACTION OF JUNE 2, 2003**

Reconsideration and further examination is respectfully requested in view  
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